

Docket No.: 43890-672

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Hideki KUWAJIMA

Serial No.:

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Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

For: SHOCK-ABSORBING MEMBER, SHOCK-ABSORBING METHOD OF  
ELECTRONIC DEVICE EMPLOYING THE MEMBER, AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE  
ADAPTING THE MEMBER AND THE METHOD

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Preliminary Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows: